



Warren H. Roberts, Jr.

## LOCAL STUDENT TO ENTER TECHNICAL INSTITUTE

Warren H. Roberts, Jr., 25 Park Street, Feeding Hills, Mass., to graduate from Agawam High School, Class of 1967, has been accepted by the Northeast Institute of Industrial Technology in Boston.

He will major in air conditioning and refrigeration. Located on Beacon Hill, in the educational center of Boston, Northeast Tech. is one of the nation's largest technical institutes with an enrollment of over 800 students.

As a student in the air conditioning and refrigeration division, he will become part of the engineering team that now makes New England one of the leading industrial centers in the world, and which was instrumental in bringing the multi-million dollar NASA Research Center to Massachusetts. For over 20 years Northeast Tech. has provided thousands of graduates for specialized technical positions in industry.

## First Annual Coin Show April 23

Time is getting very close for Agawam Coin Club First Annual Coin Show.

Mr. Vic Moreno's committee are working to iron out all the final phases for the show.

April 19 - 7:15 p.m. on Tom Colton's Highlights, Mr. Moreno and Mr. Seconda will interview on Channel 22, colonial coins slides.

The show will offer 28 dealers from the New England States to serve the needs of the numismatic desirers.

If you don't see what you want, just ask.

Sales and bourse tables will be open from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m.

There also will be 8 first class exhibitors showing some of the finest displays of the numismatic field.

One of the top exhibits of the country will be shown with 10 cases telling the story of the Medallic Story of American Indians, and the Paper Story of Colonial Financing. There will be 5 cases for each exhibit.

Included in the exhibits will be the regimental prests of U.S. Army and Militia Units that won battle honors guarding the frontiers against marauding Indians from 1630 to 1793 and onto final peace of 1896. This exhibit alone is priceless.

It is very educational to all ages including school age boys and girls.

Another outstanding exhibit will be shown by Leo Parris of East Hampton on World Drowns.

There also will be exhibits by Mr. Walter Jasinski on Polish Coins, Mr. Sherman Mills on German Coins, Mr. William Nessel on Copper Coins of Sweden, Mr. Joseph Seconda on Colonial Coins and Japanese Occu-pational Currency.

Free admission, door prizes, free hourly prizes and plenty of parking.

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Richard M. Vermeiren

## Richard M. Vermeiren Is Commissioned 2nd Lieutenant

SAN ANTONIO -- Richard M. Vermeiren, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph S. Vermeiren of 43 Senator Ave., Agawam, Mass., has been commissioned a second lieutenant in the U.S. Air Force upon graduation from Officer Training School (OTS) at Lackland AFB, Texas.

Lieutenant Vermeiren, selected for OTS through competitive examination, is being assigned to Clark AB, Philippines, for training and duty. He will be in the Military Airlift Command which provides strategic airlift for deployment of U.S. forces world-wide.

The Lieutenant, a graduate of Agawam High School, received a B.S. degree in community recreation from Springfield (Mass.) College in 1966.

## WESTFIELD SAVINGS ASSETS AT ALL TIME HIGH

WESTFIELD -- The Westfield Savings Bank's total assets figure has exceeded the \$50 million mark, "a significant milestone in the history of the bank," Arthur W. Knapp, president, told the quarterly meeting of the board of trustees at Storowton Tavern in West Springfield, Friday night. Henry F. Burrows, chairman of the board, presided.

"It is our belief that this achievement reflects the good effort Westfield Savings Bank has made to serve the savings and home ownership needs of the communities it serves," Mr. Knapp told the trustees.

He reported that assets on March 31 of this year totaled \$50,130,612, with the gain for the past six months totaling \$852,587.

Savings deposits on March 31 totaled \$44,391,509, a record figure, and Mr. Knapp said the savings gain for the past six months was \$1,242,393.

Real estate loans on March 31 amounted to \$36,954,716, gaining \$1,480,895 for the past year and \$209,063 for the three months ending March 31.

"We are continuing to see a strong demand for home financing," Mr. Knapp told the trustees, "and this demand is very likely to continue through the year."

The Westfield Savings Bank president said "there has been some easing of money recently, so that home mortgage funds now are more readily available than they have been.

"However, it also appears that interest rates will continue to remain at their current levels."

## Beauty Contest Is Open, Girls

A Massachusetts girl who can hold her own with the top beauties of the world is the target of officials of the Miss Massachusetts Pageant this year.

The state contest is affiliated with the Miss U.S.A. and Miss Universe Pageants. The Massachusetts winner is eligible for both contests.

Last year, blonde Nancy Brackett of Mansfield was among 10 finalists in the Miss U.S.A. contest, the highest beauty rating a Bay State Miss had ever achieved.

Robert R. DeSimone, executive director of the Miss Massachusetts Pageant, believes this is our state's year.

"I feel that our 1967 contestants will achieve their highest goal in history - win the Miss Universe Pageant. I am confident that we have a girl in Massachusetts who has the charm, beauty, poise and intelligence to captivate the judges of this top event."

Miss Massachusetts will be selected May 5 at the Back Bay Theatre, Boston from among 15 finalists. The semi-final contest will be held, April 24, at the Pleasant Valley Country Club, Sutton.

Miss Massachusetts receives free round trips to Miami Beach and Rome, an original gown, finishing course at Carol Nashe Model Agency, set of luggage, wardrobe, cash prizes and a new Pontiac convertible for one year.

Contestants must be between 18 and 28 years old, single and a state resident for six months. To enter write American Beauty Pageants, Inc., 9 Park St., Boston, Mass. 02108, for an entry blank or call 227-8450.

## Mass. Starts April With Cash Balance Over 61 Million

Massachusetts started April with a cash balance in excess of 61 million dollars, State Treasurer Robert Q. Crane said today in his latest monthly report on the financial condition of the Commonwealth.

Treasurer Crane reported that at the end of March the state's cash balance was \$61,751,987.04 as compared with \$40,650,853.75 at the end of February.

His report lists total receipts by the state in March of \$237,053,012.09 and disbursements for the month of \$215,861,878.80.

The Commonwealth's bonded indebtedness, Treasurer Crane reports, is still over the one billion dollar mark. At the start of April it was \$1,017 billion as against \$1,008 billion for April of 1966.

## COAST GUARD ANNOUNCES NEW OFFICE HOURS

The Coast Guard recruiter has announced new office hours for the local recruiting office, located at 169 State Street, Springfield, Mass.

For the convenience of the applicant, the office will be opened on Saturdays from 10:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m., commencing April 8th, 1967.

Vacancies exist for the months of April and May. For further information call 736-5622.



Mrs. Dorin G. Cesari of 116 Main Street, a student at American International College, is actively engaged in a unique new educational venture. It involves teaching of elementary science and social studies with the cooperation of the Chicopee School System. She is shown with one of her students at the Selser School.

## UNIQUE EDUCATIONAL IDEA IS SUCCESS IN SCHOOL SYSTEM

One of the most unusual educational ventures in the Greater Springfield area in recent years -- a new program in the teaching of elementary science and social studies -- has met with "tremendous success" on the part of the student teachers, officials and teachers of the Chicopee, Mass., Public School System.

According to Dr. Arthur Bertrand, associate professor and director of elementary education at American International College, Springfield, Mass., several AIC undergraduate teachers, known as resource aides, were assigned to Chicopee teachers, who were called master teachers. "The success of the pilot program," Dr. Bertrand said, "proves that creative programs are possible and valuable when school systems such as we have in this section of Western New England are so co-operative. They all share our desire to strengthen teacher education programs whenever we can."

Dr. Bertrand said he worked closely with Miss Sophie Churma, assistant superintendent of schools in Chicopee, to launch the new concept. "Without her help and the co-operation of the AIC students and the Chicopee School System the program would not have been possible," Dr. Bertrand noted.

The resource aide program was first put into effect at the following Chicopee elementary schools: Selser, Streiber, Fairview Elementary, Kirby and Bowie.

The entire program requires one semester. During the first four weeks of the semester the AIC students attend regularly-scheduled class meetings at the college. The time is used to discuss the objectives, content and teaching methods and the students must plan a complete unit in science and one in social studies.

During the following eight weeks, each student spends a minimum of three hours per week as an aide in an assigned classroom. During those hours the AIC student assists the master-teacher in the areas of science and social studies, in whatever way the master-teacher feels will be to the greatest advantage to both the children and the aide. Frequent conferences are held between the aide and the professional teacher during this time.

The master-teachers expect the aides to assume full responsibility for all assignments and working schedules. They also assisted the aides in the development of self-confidence by allowing them to work with the class

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in teaching many lessons as well as full-fledged units.

Several AIC students enrolled in the popular elementary education program have already expressed an interest in participating in the resource-aide venture next semester, Dr. Bertrand said.

"This made the traditional elementary education method courses in science and social studies more meaningful to the AIC students, as well as the elementary school students," Dr. Bertrand said, adding, "the program certainly gave the student teachers a thorough introduction to the full time student teaching program. Based on the success of the Chicopee experiment we now have expanded the program into East Longmeadow, Mass., Wilbraham,

Mass., and Enfield, Conn."

Miss (Susan) Cushwa, of Ramsey, N.J., said, "We were most excited and delighted with the opportunity to prepare work in science and social studies for real classroom situations. We worked much harder than if we had simply taken methods courses in science and social studies."

Dr. George Membrino, Chicopee superintendent of schools, said, "The master-teachers were also enthusiastic about the practical aspects of the program and were outspoken in their praise of the AIC students. The resource aides were most professional in the way they handled all classroom assignments."

Both Dr. Membrino and Miss Chmura expressed their enthusiasm for the program "which is so realistic and unique in the area of teacher education."

Dr. Bertrand said the in-classroom experience does not constitute a student-teaching assignment, required for teacher certi-

fication. The research aide program is essentially a course in the teaching of science and social studies, with emphasis on application of material to situations far more realistic than found in a college classroom. Mrs. Kidess, one of the resource aides from Wilbraham, Mass., said she is now looking forward to the formal student-teaching program as a result of her experience at the Kirby School.

**Spring Motor Vehicle****Inspection Now In Progress**

"We are now in the first week of the spring motor vehicle inspection which runs through May 15," Registrar Richard E. McLaughlin said today. "Well over two million motor vehicles must be inspected in the next five weeks in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts in order to comply with our compulsory law. We have certified 3100 stations to inspect vehicles but we urge drivers to present their cars as soon as possible to avoid crowded conditions."

Examiners will check the following equipment on passenger and other types of motor vehicles including trucks, trailers, motorcycles, motorscooters and motorbikes, school buses, and vehicles with farm dealer, repair and owner-repair plates:

1. brakes; 2. headlamps; 3. tail lamps (and rear plate light); 4. stop lights; 5. number plates (no plastic or other coverings allowed); 6. horn; 7. tires; 8. rear windows (no clouding on convertibles); 9. steering gear (and ball joints); 10. marker lights on commercial vehicles; 11. muffler and exhaust system; 12. bumpers, fenders, and external sheet metal; 13. windshield and windshield wipers; 14. safety chains (on trailers); 15. front and rear floor boards.

**GLIMPSES OF GARDENING**

Nine New  
Petunias  
to show  
off your  
garden...

Among the Mayas, the magical number nine signified excellence. That's the perfect word to describe the quality of the nine new Petunias, ready for 1967 gardens via the magical camel's hair brush of Pan-American Seed Company, home of the world's foremost Petunia hybridizers.

These nine new hybrid Petunias are of three entirely different types: Single-flowered Grandiflora with huge blooms up to 3 inches across, double-flowered Grandiflora with equally large many-petalled blossoms, and Multifloras with smaller flowers produced prodigiously on compact plants of even height.

All three types of Petunias are alike, however, in exhibiting the sturdy, vigorous plants, the greatly lengthened blooming season and the floriferousness which characterize first generation hybrids.

There are, among the four single-flowered Grandiflora introductions, new color additions to each of two famous Petunia groups: Red Magic, an early-blooming, free-flowering, brilliant red completes the color range of the "Magic" group, and Coral Cascade adds a new color, coral-rose, to the popular cascading form of the "Cascade" Petunias.

The other two single-flowered Grandiflora varieties are a clear, bright, medium "blue" with a silvery cast called Blue Jeans, and a delightful, softly-shaded variety, white in the center, medium salmon in the petals and deep salmon at the petal lobes, aptly named Peach Blossom.

The exotic, double-flowered Grandiflora class will have two newcomers: Blue Danube has a 2½ inch diameter, and delicate lavender-blue blossoms veined in darker "blue." It is the double-flowered counterpart of the popular single-flowered variety, Blue Lace. Valentine is a bright, cheery brilliant dark red with salmon undertones, which starts to bloom early on compact, 10 to 12 inch high plants and continues until frost.

In addition to all this bounty from the magic of plant breeding, there are the three Multiflora Petunias, two of them, Sugar Blues and Purple Plum, introducing entirely new colors to the group to which the widely-grown variety, Sugar Plum, belongs. Both are compact in form, weather-resistant, and adaptable to many growing conditions. Sugar Blues is lavender-blue, deeper at the center, lighter at the petal edges, with deep blue-violet, pencil-fine veining. Purple Plum is a rich, warm, reddish-plum shade which colors best when plants are grown in full sun.

The third hybrid Multiflora is a bicolor named Rose Star. This has sharply defined, alternating zones of dark rose-red and white in each lovely bloom.

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repair work is completed. If it is still on the windshield on May 16, the vehicle will be removed from the highway and fines and court action will result.

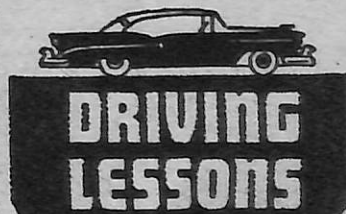
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# SCHOOL MENUS

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## PHELPS SCHOOL

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## GRANGER SCHOOL

MON: juice, frank, on but. bun, rel. & must., pot. chips, 7 min. cab., ap. sau. TUES: spag. w/meat & tom. sau., but. gr. bns., b&b, peach. WED: pep. stk. pars. pot., but. corn, bak. pow. bisc. THURS: juice, gr. hamb. on roll, ch. cube, rel. & cat., but. car., fr. FRI: juice, tuna fish sailboat, pean. but. sand., but. vege. sp. cake.

## PEIRCE SCHOOL

MON: hamb. w/br. gry., wh. pot., but. leaf spin, pean. but. sand., rosy ap. sau. TUES: fr. punch, bkd. lunch, meat, cand. sw. pot., but. peas & b&b, choc. pud. w/top. WED: piz. -burg., kern. corn, car. stix, choc. pean. but. cook. THURS: or. juice, beef-veg. stew, ch. muf. or pean. but. sand., peach sh. cake w/wh. egg, FRI: bkd. bns., 1/2 dev. egg, st. tom. cel. stix, rai. cornbr., ice cr. bar.

## DANAHY SCHOOL

MON: juice, frank, in but. roll w/rel. & must., but. corn, ap. sau. w/rai. bars. TUES: shell mac. w/meat & tom. sau., but. wax bns., pean. but. & jel. sand., cit. fr. cup. WED: juice, Slop. Joe on bun, ch. wed. tos. sal. w/tom. choc. cake. THURS: mash. pot., hamb. gry., but. broc., b&b, fr. jel. w/top. FRI: juice, tuna fish sand., Fr. fried pot., but. gr. bns., but. cake w/frost.

## SO. ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

MON: or. juice, st. franks in but. roll, must. & rel. but. spin, choc. cake w/choc. frost. TUES: hamb. w/gry. on but. rice, ABC sal. pean. but. w/hon. on rye br., fr. cup. WED: meatballgrind, w/sau. ch. stix, but. car., gpfr. w/or. sec. THURS: cit. juice, cubed beef w/gry., pars. pot., but. peas, pan bisc., ap. sau. FRI: or. juice, crm. tom. soup, crack., cel. & car. stix, tuna sal. on bun, ap. cake.

## ROBINSON PARK SCHOOL

MON: or. juice, hamb. on but. roll, cat., but. car., pot. stix, rai. sp. cake w/but. frost. TUES: shell mac. w/meat & tom. sau., but. gr. bns., Fr. b&b, sl. pears. WED: cit. juice, cold cut grind. (meat, ch. let., tom.), pot. chips, sl. pick., fr. THURS: beef & gry., mash. pot., but. broc., b&b, ice crm. FRI: juice, gr. ch. sand., pean. but. sand., pot. chips, tos. sal. w/spin. grn., dessert.

## JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL

MON: hamb. & gry., mash. pot., broc., choc. pud., b&b. TUES: juice, hamb. on bun, gr. bns., pean. but. sand., ap. sau., choc. bit cook. WED: shell mac. w/meat balls, cab. & car. sal., white cake w/choc. sau., b&b. THURS: juice, bolog. w/water roll, tos. sal. ch., sl. peach, but. cook. FRI: juice, piz. w/tom. sau., but. car., prune sp. cake w/top., pean. but. sand.

## HIGH SCHOOL

MON: or. juice, hamb. on roll, cand. sw. pot., let. & tom. slices, pean. but. sand., choc. cake w/but. icing. TUES: elb. mac. w/meat sau., cab. & car. sal., b&b, pean. but. sand., fr. cocktail. WED: or. juice, egg sal. roll, pot. chips, raw veg. tray, pean. but. sand., but. cake w/hot fudge sau. THURS: coun. style stk., creole sau., mash. pot., but. peas, hot ap. muf. pean. but. sand., choc. pud. w/top. FRI: or. juice, tuna sal. sailboat, gar. sal. w/spin. grn., pean. but. sand., rai. bar-r special.

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6. Cath. U.	45-1/2	38143
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9. Georgetown	36	37374
10. Fordham	34	37608
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## Kid's Day at Tufts, April 15

MEDFORD, Mass. -- A portable zoo, funhouse, penny arcade, pony rides and a cookout will highlight a day on the Tufts University campus for 1300 Boston Area children, April 15.

Kids' Day at Tufts, sponsored by the university's student run

Leonard Carmichael Society, climaxes a year's work with the 1300 children in scouting, settlement house, hospital, and tutorial projects.

The "kids," ranging in age from 6 to 12, will arrive at Tufts from throughout metropolitan Boston at 8:30 a.m. They will be welcomed by more than 300 Tufts students and divided into small groups for the day's activities. Each group will have a chance to swim, play softball, watch fraternity wrestling matches and ride around the campus on fire engines. There will be folk singing groups, a rock and roll band, a play and a Walt Disney movie, and songs by the Tufts Bellzebubs.

The whole Tufts campus will take an active part in planning Kids' Day. Fraternities will build the fun house and penny arcade; Interdormitory Council will present ALICE IN WONDERLAND; the Arena Theatre will present HANSEL AND GRETEL; the commuter associations will provide balloons and sororities will serve donuts and milk.

## Junior Women Art Show Sunday

The Agawam Junior Women's Club will hold a Fine Arts Festival on Sunday, April 16, from 2 - 7 p.m. at the Captain Charles Leonard House. Mrs. Kenneth Kubik, chairman of the festival has announced the following hostesses for the day: Mrs. Robert J. Zulon, club president; Mrs. Charles T. Marquis, co-chairman of the event; Mrs. James D. Fogg; Mrs. Herbert Carpenter; Mrs. Donald LaViolette, refreshment chairman; and Mrs. Louis V. Mercadante.

Approximately 100 art pieces will be exhibited. The showing is open to the public free of charge.

The club will meet on April 18 at 8:00 at the Leonard House for its annual meeting and installation of officers.

Mrs. Robert J. Zulon, club president, will preside over the business meeting. The Sperry and Hutchinson Co. will present "Hats in History" with club members serving as models. Members will also present a hob-

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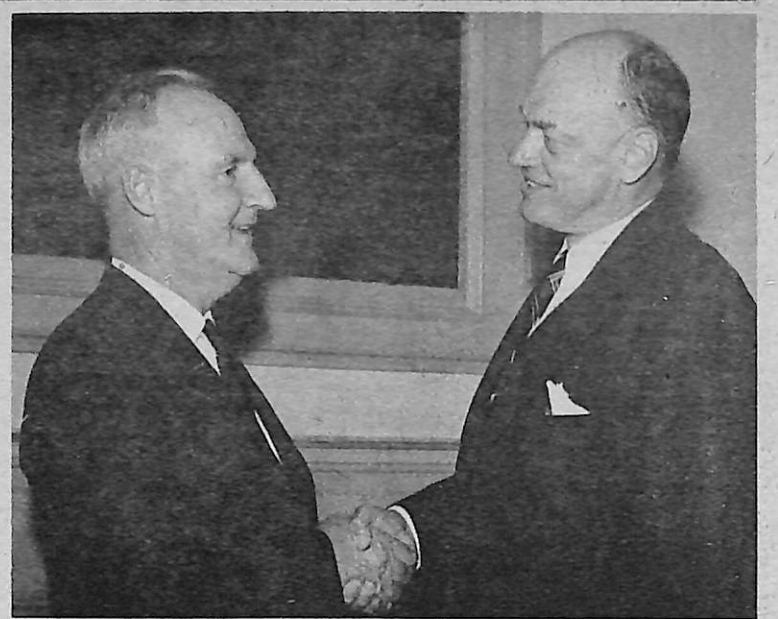
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**DARTMOUTH ALUMNUS HONORED** - Dartmouth College President John Sloan Dickey '29, right, congratulates James Clark '30 of Agawam, superintendent of the Agawam public school system, who was honored by his college classmates. The Dartmouth College Class of '30 saluted its members who have contributed "exceptional service" to secondary education at a dinner March 31 in the Harvard Club, Boston.

by display.

Mrs. Clyde Spaeth is program chairman and Mrs. John A. Jury, Jr. and her committee will serve refreshments.

## STADIUM MUST HAVE FREE PARKIN FACILITIES SAYS ALA

BOSTON - The ALA said today that if the proposed Boston stadium bill is passed using unrefunded gas tax monies it will file legislation to have all parking, for all events, free to all car owners.

"At an estimated \$3 million dollars a year, the motorists will be paying more rent than the Boston Red Sox and Patriots

combined. For this, they should be provided with free parking facilities," the ALA's Philip C. Wallwork, said.

"We are historically opposed to the use of gas tax money for any purpose other than highways and we believe that the use of such tax money for the stadium is in violation of the intent, if not the actual wording, of the state constitution.

"But, if the legislature passes the proposed legislation we will fight for free parking facilities to which the car owner is entitled," said Wallwork.

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## American Legion Auxiliary

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### GRADUATION TIME DRAWS NIGH

In spite of winter weather that seems reluctant to leave us, we are beginning to realize that the school year is drawing to a close, and soon graduation time will be upon us. It is the happy privilege of our Auxiliary Unit to present a scholarship each year at this time. Mrs. David Gallano, Scholarship Chairman for Unit 185, has always been deeply interested in this phase of the American Legion Auxiliary's program. This year she is arranging a card party at the Captain Charles les Leonard House on Tuesday evening, April 25th, to help raise funds for this purpose. The public will be welcome, and it is hoped that many friends and neighbors will attend. With prizes for each table, each group may choose the game they like best to play. Door prizes and delicious refreshments promise to add to the pleasure of the evening.

Assisting Mrs. Gallano will be the Unit President, Mrs. Donald Catchepaugh, as Honorary Chairman; Co-Chairman, Miss Margaret Ferranti; also on the committee are Mrs. Belle Russell, Mrs. George Gillan, Mrs. Roland Reed and Mrs. Gladys Catchepaugh, who is in charge of publicity.

Beside the local scholarship, Wilson-Thompson Unit annually donates to County and Department scholarships, for which Agawam graduates may also make applications. Information may be had by contacting Mrs. Gallano.

### JUNIOR NOTES

The Juniors will meet at the Legion Home on Sunday afternoon, April 16th at 2 p.m., to continue their craft project, make plans for their visit to Monson State Hospital, and for their Mother-Daughter Banquet to be held on April 30th.

### UNIT NOTES

Members are reminded of the County Banquet to be held at Tonelli's Little River Inn in Westfield on Saturday evening, April 22nd. Reservations must be made by next meeting night, April 17th.

### CONVENTION DELEGATES TO BE ELECTED

Reservations for three delegates have already been made at New Ocean House, Swampscott, for June 1st, 2nd, and 3rd. These delegates and alternates will be chosen on April 17th. At this meeting also, further plans will be announced for the Scholarship Card Party.

April 17th will also mark the anniversary of Julia and Leslie Moore.

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On April 19th, George and Adah Blood will be marking their wedding anniversary. Our sincere congratulations to all of them.

### DISPLAY YOUR FLAG

April 19th is Patriots' Day. Members of The American Legion are urging their friends and neighbors to display their flags on this, and on all patriotic days. Miss Shirley Belcher, Americanism chairman of Unit 185 says "This is a good time to buy a flag if you don't already have one, and plan to 'fly' it on the upcoming patriotic days: V-E Day, Monday, May 8th; Mothers' Day, Sunday, May 14th; Memorial Day, Tuesday, May 30th; and certainly a very important date is Flag Day, June 14th, which is on a Wednesday this year.

"As part of the Americanism Program, many of the Units of The American Legion Auxiliary throughout the nation present American flags to schools, churches, scout troops and camps, hoping to inspire loyalty and patriotism in our young people," Shirley concluded.

### ANTI DEFAMATION LEAGUE WILL MEET AT CRESTVIEW COUNTRY CLUB MAY 9

Julius Popkin of Longmeadow will be honored at the Annual Spring Dinner-Meeting of the Western Massachusetts Area Committee of the New England Regional Board of the Anti-Defamation League of B'nai B'rith on Tuesday evening, May 9, at the Crestview Country Club in Agawam. Mr. Popkin, who is the chairman of ADL's Western Massachusetts Area Committee, will be honored with a citation. Benjamin R. Epstein, of New York, National Director of the Anti-Defamation League, heads a long list of ADL and B'nai B'rith officials and supporters who will honor Mr. Popkin. Mr. Epstein, who has been the National Director of the Anti-Defamation League for the last 20 years, has been the National Director of the Anti-Defamation League for the last 20 years, and who is nationally known for his speeches and writings on many aspects of the inter-group relations field, will deliver the keynote address of the evening. The announcement of the Dinner-Meeting to honor Mr. Pop-

kin was made by Dr. David Webber, of Longmeadow, chairman of the Planning Committee which also includes Samuel P. Black, Samuel G. Simons, Jack Levine and Donald Weisman.

Mr. A. Raymond Tye, of Waban, Mass., chairman of the New England Regional Board of the ADL, will make a special report in behalf of the New England Regional ADL office and will join in honoring Mr. Popkin, who is a vice-chairman of the New England Board, a position which he has held for two years. Mr. Popkin is a past General Chairman of the United Jewish Welfare Fund in Springfield and is a past President of B'nai B'rith and the Probus Club.

Always active in community affairs, Mr. Popkin serves as a member of the Springfield Community Relations Committee and is the Springfield representative on the National Community Relations Advisory Council serving on the Special Committee on Individual Freedom and Jewish Security.

He is a member of Temple Beth El and Kodimoh Synagogue. He also serves as the director of the Security National Bank in Springfield and as Trustee of the Jonas Heit and Maurice Kurn Memorial Funds. Mr. Popkin is Treasurer of the Berkline Corporation of Western Springfield and Morristown, Tennessee. He is married to the former Ida Solomon of Springfield and has two daughters, Mrs. Marilyn Goldberg and Mrs. David Hochberg, both of Longmeadow. There are five grandchildren.

Benjamin R. Epstein, who is to be the keynote speaker, is well-known in this area having

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begun his career with the Anti-Defamation League as its New England director in the Boston office in 1939. He has had an outstanding career in the field of human relations. His active concern with the problems of intergroup relations began in his youth. While studying in Germany in 1934 on a fellowship grant from the Institute of International Education, he was eye-witness to the workings of the Hitler dictatorship that eventually slaughtered millions of people and provoked World War II. He has been a participant in the fight against bigotry and prejudice ever since. As the ADL's National Director he has led the fight against discrimination, bigotry and racist groups and is co-author of such important expose publications as "The Troublemakers" (1952), "Cross-Currents" (1965), "Some of My Best Friends..." (1962), "Danger on the Right" (1964) and "The John Birch Society, 1966."

Mr. Epstein will be introduced by Sam Black, immediate past chairman of the Western Massachusetts Area Committee. The presentation to Mr. Popkin will be made by Sam Simons. Other speakers will include Sol Kolack, executive director of the New England Regional ADL office, and Dr. David Webber, dinner chairman.

A cocktail hour will precede the dinner and meeting.

### Highway Frost Heaves Worst In Many Years, Says ALA

BOSTON - The Automobile Legal Association today warned springtime motorists of the dangers of highway frost heaves which, it said, are the worst in many years.

Philip C. Wallwork, ALA safety director, said that many primary and secondary roads throughout the New England area are extremely treacherous and that a driver can lose control of his car very quickly because of such frost heaves.

"There is no discrimination with frost heaves," Wallwork said. "They are found on turnpikes as well as back roads in the country and no area in the six state region is exempt."

"These bumps are particularly dangerous on curves or at high speeds and we hope that motorists use extreme care while the heaves are resettling and being repaired by highway crews," he said.

### Legal Notices

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS  
Hampden, ss. Probate Court  
To all persons interested in the estate of ETTA D. SCOTT late of Agawam, in said County, deceased, testate.

A petition has been presented to said Court for license to sell - at private sale - certain real estate of said deceased.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court of Springfield before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the ninth day of May 1967, the return day of this citation.

Witness, ABRAHAM I. SMITH, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this sixth day of April 1967.

JOHN J. LYONS, Register  
April 20, 27; May 4

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS  
Hampden ss. Probate Court

To all persons interested in the trust estate under the will of SOLOMON FREDERICK CUSHMAN; otherwise SOLOMON F. CUSHMAN or S. FREDERICK CUSHMAN or S. F. CUSHMAN late of Agawam in said County, deceased, for the benefit of ALICE J. CUSHMAN and others under the third clause of said will.

The trustee of said estate has presented to said Court for allowance its twelfth account.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Springfield before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-eighth day of April 1967, the return day of this citation.

Witness, ABRAHAM I. SMITH, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this sixteenth day of March 1967.

JOHN J. LYONS, Register  
March 30, April 6, 13.